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Rats trapped	541
Rats identified	564
Mus norvegicus	522
Mus rattus	2
Mus musculus	40
Rats examined bacteriologically	523
Plague rats	0

POINT RICHMOND, CAL.

Week ended September 11.

Sick inspected	1
Plague	0
Dead inspected	3
Plague	0

ALAMEDA COUNTY, CAL. (EXCLUSIVE OF OAKLAND).

Week ended September 4, 1909.

Last case of human plague: Sickened 10 miles east of Sunol, July 27, 1909.
Last case of rodent plague: Found September 4, 1909.

Dead inspected	43
Plague	0
Ranches inspected	62
Ground squirrels shot	526
Ground squirrels examined bacteriologically	389
Ground squirrels infected with *B. pestis*	6
Total number of ground squirrels found infected to date	17

Plague-infected ground squirrels obtained from the following-named places.

August 30, 1909.

Matsen's ranch	1

August 31, 1909.

Matsen's ranch	1

September 3, 1909.

Thiele ranch	2
Matsen's ranch	1

September 4, 1909.

Matsen's ranch	1

Plague case in Alameda County.

Doctor Blue reports, September 27:

September 24, Manuel Avila, aged 5 years, Californian, Portuguese parentage, 2 miles southwest of Sunol, Alameda County, has clinical plague. Isolated Alameda County Infirmary.

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY, CAL. (EXCLUSIVE OF POINT RICHMOND).

Week ended September 4.

Last case of human plague: Sickened July 21, 1908.
Last case of rodent plague: Found September 2, 1909.

Ranches inspected	165
Ground squirrels shot	2,071
Ground squirrels found dead	4
Ground squirrels examined bacteriologically	1,726
Ground squirrels infected with *B. pestis*	4
Total number of ground squirrels infected to date	195

Plague-infected ground squirrels obtained from the following-named places:

August 26, 1909.

Flemming ranch..... 1

August 28, 1909.

Evoy ranch..... 1

September 2, 1909.

Fernandez ranch..... 1
Belshaw's ranch..... 1

Report from Seattle, Wash.—Plague laboratory work, month of August, 1909.

Assistant Surgeon Chapin reports, September 14:

During the month of August, 1909, 5,308 rats were delivered at the laboratory and 3,457 were necropsied. No plague-infected rats were found.

STATISTICAL REPORTS OF MORBIDITY AND MORTALITY, STATES AND CITIES OF THE UNITED STATES—UNTABULATED.

CALIFORNIA—*San Diego.*—Month of August, 1909. Estimated population, 45,000. Total number of deaths 33, including 3 from tuberculosis. Cases: Enteric fever 1, measles 1, tuberculosis 2.

COLORADO—*Colorado Springs.*—Month of May, 1909. Estimated population, 32,000. Total number of deaths 42, including scarlet fever 1 and 20 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 1, scarlet fever 8.

Month of June, 1909. Total number of deaths 40, including enteric fever 1, whooping cough 1, and 11 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 1, scarlet fever 9.

ILLINOIS—*Alton.*—Month of August, 1909. Estimated population, 22,000. Total number of deaths 19, including diphtheria 1, enteric fever 1, and 2 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 5.

INDIANA—*Jeffersonville.*—Month of August, 1909. Estimated population, 12,000. Total number of deaths 12, including diphtheria 1 and 1 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 2, enteric fever 2, tuberculosis 1.

Muncie.—Month of August, 1909. Estimated population, 30,266. Total number of deaths, 26, including enteric fever 1 and 4 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 2, enteric fever 13, scarlet fever 3, and tuberculosis 1.

IOWA—*Davenport.*—Month of August, 1909. Census population, 35,254. Total number of deaths not reported. Cases of contagious disease reported: Diphtheria 7, enteric fever 1, tuberculosis 1.

Keokuk.—Month of August, 1909. Estimated population, 16,000. Total number of deaths, 20, including 1 from tuberculosis. Cases: None.